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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

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Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action mailed from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on November 27, 2009. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is concurrently being filed herewith. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the Final Office Action in view of the herein-contained amendments and remarks. Inasmuch as the Office Action sets a three-month shortened statutory period for response, to expire on February 27, 2010, this response is concurrently filed with a Request for One-Month-Extension of Time and the requisite fee. If any additional extension of time is necessary the same is hereby requested and if any fees are necessary to maintain the pendency of this application, including any additional extension and/or claim fee, the Office is authorized to charge such fee to Deposit Account No. 19-0089.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.